



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Assignee: Lumileds Lighting U.S., LLC  
Title: Illumination System with LEDs  
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Santa Clara, California  
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Commissioner For Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This Response to Office Action is responsive to the January 31, 2006, final Office Action, which has a statutorily shortened period for response that ended April 31, 2006. A Request for Continued Examination and a petition for a one month extension giving Applicant until May 31, 2006 to respond are submitted herewith. Please enter the following amendments before taking action on the merits of the above-referenced application.

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